

DRYSDALE

Handkerchiefs
Umbrellas --- Gloves
Inexpensive Jewelry

Dainty Muslin Underwear
Warm Knitwear
Slumber Garments

Baskets

Shirt-waist Boxes
Smokers' Stands
Fancy Pin Cushions
Ribbons

Bath Robes

Women's, Men's
Children's
Boudoir Negligees—plain or fancy
silks and delicate
all-wools

Ivory-finish Toilet Sets

Manicure Sets
Military Brushes
Toilet Waters, etc.

Women's Party Dresses

Choice showing—no
two alike—recently
received—latest New York models—new yet not extreme. White
and colors. \$14.00 to \$25.00.

Hand Bags---Pocketbooks

Traveling Bags
Suit Cases
Steamer Rugs
Trunks

Neckwear---Scarfs

Hair Ornaments
Silk and other Stockings
Waists---Aprons

DRYSDALE

Character Dollies---Woolly
Bow-wows---Black Kitties
Pretty trinkets for Baby's first, second
or third Christmas—a world of them.

Women's Furs

and
Fur Coats



Giveable Togs

for

Men and Boys

Handkerchiefs

5c to \$1.00

Umbrellas...50c to \$1.50

Neckties—wonderful variety—special values at...

25c and 50c

Hosiery—silk, cotton,...

lisle, wool...10c to \$1.00

Collars—all the new shapes...75c half dozen

Mackinaws—Sweaters,

Pontiacs...\$1.50 to \$9.50

Shirts—dress, negligee,

flannel...50c to \$3.00

Pajamas & Night Shirts—flannelette or muslin...50c to \$2.50

Gloves and Mittens—for dress, street or sturdy use...25c to \$5.00

Underwear—wool or cotton—unions or separate...25c to \$3.50

Bath Robes—men's fast color blankets...\$3.50 to \$6.00

Suspenders—Arm Bands—Garters...25c to \$1.00

Traveling Bags Suit Cases...\$1.00 to \$15.00

Cuff Links and Stick Pins...25c to \$1.50

Military Brushes...\$1.00 to \$3.00

Leather Case Toilet Sets...\$2.50 to \$5.00

Boys' Rubber Rain Coats \$2.89...Hats 50c

Boys' Blouses—white and colors...50c to 75c

Boys' Bath Robes—blanket cloth...\$1.98

Boys' Indian Moccasins...\$2.25

Boys' Slippers...50c to \$1.25

Men's Slippers—alligator, vici, felt, velvet—high or low cut; big variety; sizes to 12...50c to \$2.50

Men's Indian Moccasins—high cut...\$2.50

Most Satisfying Assortments—best makes only, Men's and Boys' Rubber Boots, Overshoes, Leggings, Puttees, Cruisers, Lumbermen's Overs and everything needful in Rubber Footwear.

Something for the Home

—for comfort, for adornment—should please the whole family and mother particularly.

Beautiful Table Linens—we've a stock of plain or elaborate table pieces in all sizes that appeals to all lovers of rich, handsome napery. Many lots that are surprisingly inexpensive.

Bissell Carpet Sweepers—complete line... (kiddies size 25c) \$2.50 to \$6.00

Blankets—white, grey, plaid; army, Indian, crib...59c to \$10.98

Comforts—warmth-without-weight sorts...\$1.00 to \$6.98

Bed Spreads—crochet, Marseilles, satin; for all sorts of beds...\$1.00 to \$5.69

Catamount Rag Rugs—hand-made, 3 by 6 ft...\$1.89

Rugs—9 by 12 ft.; Tapestry Brussels...\$12.50

Rugs—9 by 12 ft.; Axminster and Velvets...\$19.50

Rugs—Kashgar Wiltons...\$35.00

Big variety of all the popular sizes and weaves in most desirable Rugs.

Muslin Curtains—serviceable and pretty...50c to \$1.15

Net and Scrim Curtains—many new ideas...\$1.50 to \$8.50



It's A Righte Merrie, Merrie Christmas In Our Babyland Shop

We've gathered and gathered no end of cute things to amuse, to comfort and to bedeck all the Little Miss Muffetts and wee Boy Blues for miles and miles around.

Jolly old Santa will surely load in his supplies largely from this generously complete Daintyland.

Unbreakable Dolls---Dogs and Kitties...25c to \$1.00

Hampers and Baskets...65c to \$5.00

Celluloid Trinkets---banks, puff and powder boxes, hot water bottles, rattes, brush and comb sets, coat hangers, Christmas stockings, Roly Polies, record books, bonnets boxes, armlets, trinket boxes, &c., &c.,...15c to \$3.50

Wide Range of Prices in Baby Clothes

Coats---Capes---Jackets---Nightgales---Sweaters---Knit Suits---Hoods---Toques---Bonnets---Bootees---Bibs---Leggings---Veils---Crib Blankets---Carriage Robes---Mittens---Moccasins---Dresses---Slips---Wrappers---Kimonas---Bath Robes---Bands---Shoes---Stockings---Sleeping Bags---Skirts---Shawls and what not?

Giveable Wearables For Women and Girls

Women's Wool Dresses—\$18.50 to \$9.39, were \$5.69 to \$13.50.

Women's Tailored Suits—\$30.50 to \$19.50, were \$15.00 to \$35.00

Women's Cloth Coats—\$4.00 to \$19.00, were \$7.50 to \$30.00.

Children's Coats—a good choice—all price-cut one-third off.

Women's Quilted Jap Silk Vests...\$2.89

Women's Lingerie and Tailored Waists...\$1.00 to \$3.50

Women's Silk Waists...\$3.50 to \$9.50

Girls' Middy Blouses full regulation \$1.25, others at 50c to \$1.00

Women's Bath Robes—Kimonas and Negligees...\$1.00 to \$9.50

Children's Bath Robes—eiderdown or blanket...\$1.19 to \$2.39

Messaline Silk Petticoats—many colors...\$3.75

Women's Raincoats—broad showing...\$4.95 to \$18.00

Children's Rain Coats & Capes—boys' or girls'...\$1.50 to \$2.95

Girls' and Children's Mackinaws and Sweaters...50c to \$7.50

Women's Mackinaws and Sweaters...\$2.25 to \$9.50

Aprons of Every Kind—lawn, swiss, silk...25c to \$1.25

Muslin Underwear—crispst, daintiest showing we've ever offered. Very Special Gowns at 79c—six styles

Flannelette Gowns—white and colors...50c to \$1.00

Children's Sleeping Garments—big variety...25c to \$1.00



Christmas Slippers

A pair of our Christmas Slippers right in the top of the stocking would delight any Man, Woman, Boy or Girl on Christmas morning.

Women's Black Satin Dancing Pumps...\$2.50 and \$3.50

Women's Black Velvet Dancing Pumps...\$2.00 to \$2.50

Women's White Poplin Dancing Pumps...\$2.00 and \$2.50

Women's warm Felt Juliets—black, brown, red...\$1.00 to \$1.50

Women's Felt Slippers—black, brown, red...65c to \$1.00

Women's Crochet Boudoir Slippers...\$1.00 and \$1.19

Women's Turkish Boudoir Slippers...\$1.00

Women's Kid Juliets and Comfort Ties...\$1.50 to \$2.50

Women's Strap Toilet Slippers...\$1.25 and \$1.50

Women's and Misses' Indian Moccasins...\$2.25

Girls' and Children's Felt Juliets and Slippers...50c to \$1.50

— and —

Everything that's right in Leggings, Overgaiters, Comfort and Felt Shoes, Dress Boots, Riding Boots, Overshoes and all the other items you would expect to find in a Complete Family Shoe Store.

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Store Open Every
usiness Night
Till Christmas

The Muslin Underwear,
Hosiery, Glove and Neck-
wear Dep'ts are wonder-
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Lasting Useful Xmas Gifts

Which bring the giver to mind every day. Select a pair of our Atlas-Shur-On Eyeglasses or spectacles and have the lenses fitted and adjusted anytime. Full line of eyeglass chains, opera glasses, magnifiers, high grade goggles, etc. at moderate prices.

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BENNINGTON BRIEFS

News of the Town and Village Told Briefly
for Busy Readers

Miss Edith Van Santvoord is visiting in Troy.

William Sharland of Rutland, a former resident, is visiting in town.

Misses Frances and Ruth Aldrich of Hoosick visited in the village Thursday.

A regular meeting of Bennington Council, Knights of Columbus, will be held this evening.

Mrs. C. B. Kent of Dorset is passing a few days with her husband, Judge Kent, at the Putnam house.

Miss Bessie Cain of Brattleboro will arrive here today to be a guest of Mr. and Mrs. F. T. Hopkinson.

The Senior gym class will meet tonight for the last class until after New Years as Mr. Morgan will be out of town next week for the holidays. A large class is hoped for.

Rev. J. H. Robinson of Old Bennington will preach the sermon at the Christmas service at the Hoosick Falls Presbyterian church Sunday morning. There will be Christmas music by the children of the Sunday school.

BENNINGTON BRIEFS

News of the Town and Village Told Briefly
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W. J. Cain of Brattleboro, one of the grand officers, will be present at the inspection of Canton Bennington this evening.

The funeral of Ward E. Niles, aged 67 who died Wednesday at his home in White Creek, will be held from the house Saturday morning at 10 o'clock. The burial will be in the Oak Hill cemetery in Pownal.

Members of the Bennington Falls basket ball team are giving a dance for the members of the Bennington Falls club at the Neighborhood house this evening. All members come without written invitations. Per order of the secretary.

The third in the series of meetings for men under the auspices of the Y. M. C. A. will be held on Sunday in the Association lobby. Rev. Joseph H. Robinson, of Old Bennington, will be the speaker and his subject will be "That Truth about Christmas." Mr. Robinson is a very talented speaker and his talk is of the kind which should interest a large number of men. The two preceding meetings have been attended by two hundred men. The hour will be 4:15 for the meeting on Sunday.

EVERYONE'S HEAD ACHED

Three Rutland Tailors Family Narrowly Escape Asphyxiation.

Rutland, Dec. 18.—Three of the five members of the family of William B. Kennedy of this city, a tailor, narrowly escaped death this morning by asphyxiation from furnace gas. The cause of the trouble is a mystery as the dampers were left as usual and no trouble has been experienced before.

Mr. Kennedy awoke this morning with a violent headache and he found his wife and daughters, Gennie and Mildred, too ill to arise from bed or call for aid. They suffered throughout the morning from sinking spells and nausea but were out of danger this afternoon. A son, J. Hayden Kennedy, and a daughter, and another occupant of the house had severe headaches.

MUNSEY BANK IN BALTIMORE

Publisher Will Head Board of Directors of New Trust Co.

Baltimore, Dec. 18.—Incorporation papers were prepared today for the Munsey Trust Company. Eugene L. Norton of Baltimore will be president and Frank A. Munsey of New York chairman of the board of directors.

The company will have \$1,000,000 capital. No information has been given as to the directors, but they will represent New York and Baltimore interests.

The company intends to begin doing a general trust company business about January 15.

The incorporation papers will be signed by Frank A. Munsey of New York, Eugene L. Norton, R. Lancaster Williams, Stuart Olivier, Jacob France, George R. Galtier, T. Rowland Thomas, H. Fessenden Meserve, A. R. L. Dohme, Elmore B. Jeffrey and John L. Alcock.

FRANCIS MURPHY DIVORCED

Son of Temperance Apostle May Be Prosecuted by Government.

Los Angeles, Cal., Dec. 18.—On her allegation that her husband stole and pawned her jewelry and wrote scurrilous letters to her Marie Sweet Baker Murphy has got a divorce from Francis Murphy, Jr., son of the late temperance lecturer. Young Murphy, who is 27 years old, did not contest the suit.

After issuing the decree Judge Monroe said he expected immediate action by the Federal authorities against Murphy for improper use of the mails.

GREEN BONE ground fresh every day.

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TURKEY SHOOT CHRISTMAS DAY

At the Charles Allen farm, State Line. All sportsmen cordially invited. PFACOCK & BOUPLON

Christmas Trees FOR SALE

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